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ET474602777US Express Mail Label No. (Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b)) Assistant Commissioner for Patents APPLICATION ELEMENTS ADDRESS TO: **Box Patent Application** See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents. Washington, DC 20231 Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17) CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or (Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing) Computer Program (Appendix) Applicant claims small entity status. 8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission 2. See 37 CFR 1.27. (if applicable, all necessary) Specification [Total Pages (preferred arrangement set forth below) 38 3. X Computer Readable Form (CRF) - Descriptive title of the invention b. Specification Sequence Listing on: - Cross Reference to Related Applications CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D - Reference to sequence listing, a table, paper or a computer program listing appendix - Background of the Invention Statements verifying identity of above copies - Brief Summary of the Invention ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed) - Detailed Description Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s)) - Claim(s) Power of 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement - Abstract of the Disclosure (when there is an assignee) Attorney 4. X English Translation Document (if applicable) 16 [Total Sheets Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) Copies of IDS Information Disclosure ١ħ 2 5. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages Citations Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 **Preliminary Amendment** Newly executed (original or copy)
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